



Costa Rica Film Services

Your complete production partner in one of the world's most visually extraordinary countries — where jungle, coast, and volcanic landscape converge in cinematic perfection.





Why Costa Rica?

□ Unmatched Diversity

Rainforests, volcanoes, Pacific and Caribbean coastlines, cloud forests, and dry savanna — all within hours of each other.

□ Film-Friendly

Streamlined permitting, cooperative local authorities, and a growing community of skilled local crew and talent.

✈ Accessible

Two international airports, modern infrastructure, and a stable democracy with a reputation for safety and hospitality.



Locations Without Limits

Costa Rica offers a visual palette few countries can match. From misty cloud forests to black-sand volcanic beaches, every frame tells a story.



Cloud Forests

Monteverde and surrounding highlands offer ethereal, otherworldly atmospheres.



Volcanic Landscapes

Arenal, Poás, and Irazú provide dramatic, imposing backdrops for any genre.



Pacific Coast

Golden beaches, rocky coves, and dramatic cliffs along the Guanacaste coastline.



Rivers & Wetlands

Tortuguero's canals and river systems offer lush, immersive jungle environments.



Our Services



We handle every aspect of your production so you can focus on the creative vision. From pre-production scouting to final wrap, our team is your boots on the ground.

- **Location Scouting**
Curated recce packages tailored to your script and visual requirements.
- **Crew & Casting**
Access to vetted local crew, bilingual production assistants, and talent.

- **Permits & Logistics**
Full permitting support, customs coordination, and equipment import.
- **Production Management**
On-the-ground line producing, budgeting, and day-to-day operations.



Production Infrastructure

Costa Rica's film infrastructure is mature, reliable, and ready for productions of every scale — from indie features to international commercials.



Equipment Rental

Local access to cinema-grade cameras, lighting, grip, and sound packages. International gear can be imported duty-free with our support.



Studios & Facilities

Sound stages, post-production houses, and VFX studios in San José, with growing capacity for large-scale productions.



Transport & Accommodation

Established relationships with local transport companies, location-friendly hotels, and catering services across all regions.



A Country of Extraordinary Biodiversity

Costa Rica holds **5% of the world's biodiversity** in less than 0.03% of its landmass. For productions seeking authentic natural environments, it is unparalleled.

500K

Species

Estimated plant, animal, and insect species documented

25%

Protected Land

National parks, reserves, and protected areas

12

Life Zones

Distinct ecological regions within one small country

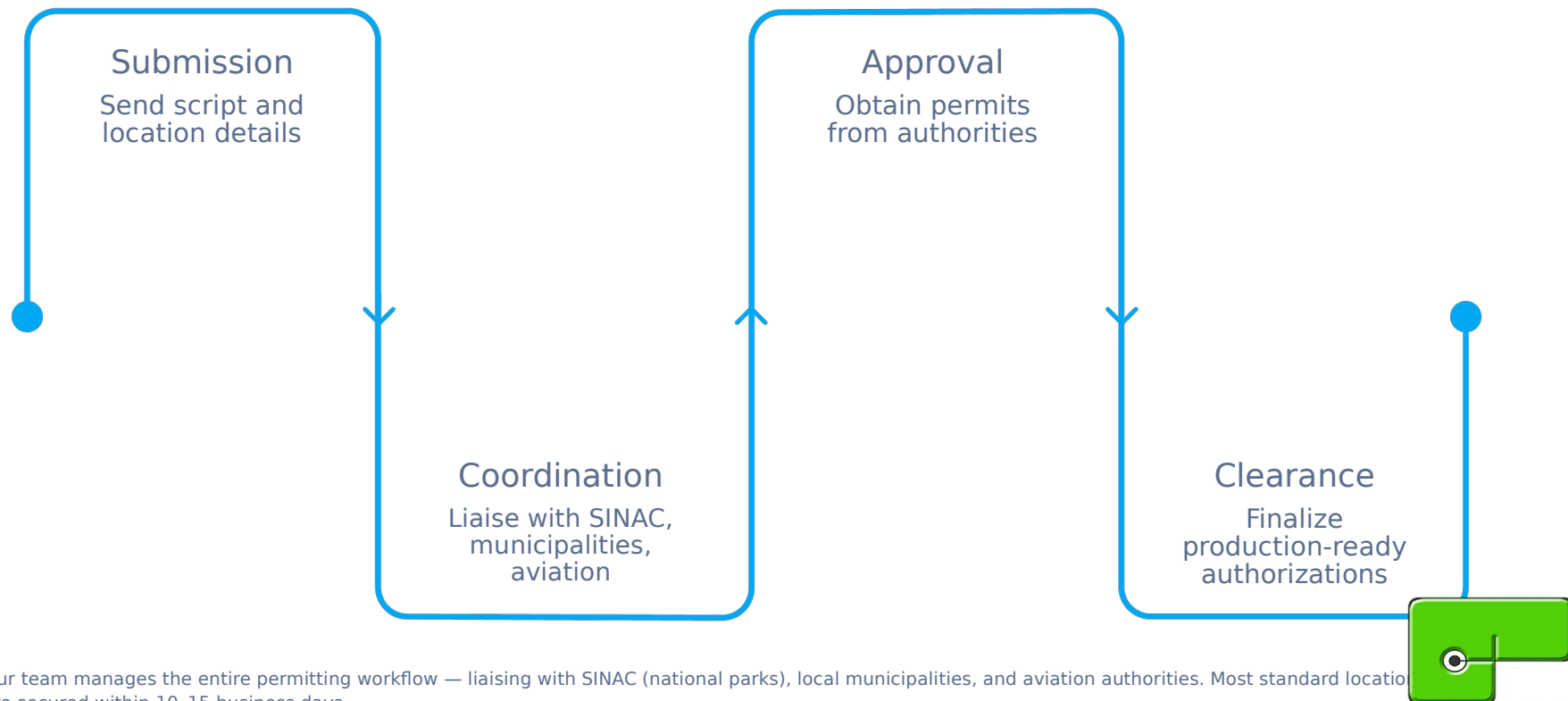
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Filming Days

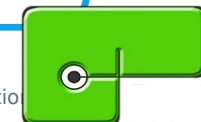
Favorable weather conditions year-round across most regions



Permitting Made Simple



Our team manages the entire permitting workflow — liaising with SINAC (national parks), local municipalities, and aviation authorities. Most standard locations are secured within 10-15 business days.



Featured Productions

Costa Rica has hosted international productions across genres — from feature films and streaming series to high-end commercials and documentaries.

Feature Films

Jungle, adventure, and thriller productions drawn to the country's raw, untamed landscapes.

Commercials

Global brands choose Costa Rica for its pristine, aspirational natural environments.

Documentaries

National Geographic, BBC, and Discovery have all filmed here for nature and wildlife programming.

Streaming Series

Increasing interest from platforms seeking exotic, cost-effective international locations.



What Our Clients Say

"Costa Rica delivered locations we didn't even know existed. The team made a complex multi-location shoot feel effortless."

— **Line Producer, US Feature Film**

"From permits to crew, everything was handled with professionalism and warmth. We'll be back."

— **Executive Producer, European Commercial**

"The biodiversity and visual variety in one country is extraordinary. Costa Rica is now a permanent part of our location roster."

— **Location Manager, Streaming Platform**



Let's Make Something Beautiful

Whether you're scouting your next location or ready to move into production, we're here to make Costa Rica your most rewarding shoot yet.

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